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AMENDMENT B
SUMBITTED WITH A REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

The Examiner's attention is directed to the Information Disclosure Statement that accompanies this Amendment.

This Amendment responds to the Office Action mailed November 7, 2003, which designated a Final Action. A Request for Continued Examination has been filed to respond to the Office Action and advance prosecution.

An automatic one month extension of time to respond, up to and including March 7, 2004, has been requested with the filing of the RCE. The requisite fee accompanies this Amendment.

Please amend the application as follows:

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